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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: OREP, PINS, MY
SUBJECT: CONGRESSMAN WOLFF'S MANILA PRESS CONFERENCE: COMMENTS
ON REPORTS OF US WEAPONRY FOUND IN THAI-MALAYSIAN BORDER AREA

REF: MANILA 5832

1. FOR THE RECORD, ALTHOUGH WE UNDERSTAND "SMALL
AMOUNT" MODERN US ORIGIN HAND WEAPONS SUCH AS M-16
AUTOMATIC REFLES AND M-79 GRENADE LAUNCHERS HAVE BEEN
FOUND "IN CERTAIN SECTOIONS OF THE MALAYSIAN/THAI
BLRDER" AS CONGRESSMAN WOLFF NOTED IN HIS APRIL 19
PRESS CONFERENCE, WE ARE UNAWARE ANY OF THESE CAN BE
ATTRIBUTED TO STOCKS COMING INTO COMMUNIST HANDS
AFTER FALL OF SAIGON. WE HAVE BEEN LED TO BELIEVE
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FROM CONTACTS WITH MALAYSIAN SECURITY AUTHORITIES
AND REPORTING FROM OTHER POSTS THAT SUCH WEAPONS
ARE FROM BLACK MARKET SOURCES IN THAILAND AND
FORMERLY FROM THAI CAMBODIAN OR LAOTIAN STOCKS RATHER
THAN RESULT OF TRANSFERS FROM SRV TO COMMUNIST
INSURGENTS OPERATING IN AREA.

2. WOULD APPRECIATE KNOWING IF ANY
ADDRESSEES HAVE ANY INFORMATION TO CONTRARY.
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Message Attributes

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